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- 1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFTEL WE CONVEYED TO FONOFF NATO DEPARTMENT ACTING DIRECTOR HOLIK ON AUGUST 25 OUR CONCERN OVER THE GON DECISION TO REDUCE FORCES. WE LEFT WITH HOLIK AN AIDE MEMOIRE BASED ON THE POINTS CONTAINED IN REFTEL.
- 2. HOLIK STATED THAT THE FRG WAS STUDYING THE DUTCH SECRET SECRET

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PLAN. THE FMOD IS PREPARING A MILITARY EVALUATION TO ASSIST THE FONOFF. HOLIK SAID IT IS TOO EARLY TO SAY

WHETHER THE FRG WILL MAKE A DEMARCHE, SINCE TOP LEVEL FONOFF POLICYMAKERS ARE STILL ON VACATION. HOWEVER, HOLIK BELIEVES THAT HIS OFFICE WILL RECOMMEND THAT SUCH ACTION BE TAKEN. HE SAID HE WOULD BE BACK IN TOUCH WITH US WHEN THE FRG DECIDES WHAT TO DO. CASH

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